## **PUBLIC CHAPTER NO. 130**

## **SENATE BILL NO. 1784**

## By Ketron

Substituted for: House Bill No. 1445

## By Rowland

AN ACT to amend Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 62, Chapter 37 and Title 62, Chapter 6, relative to contractors.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE:

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 62-6-111(a)(1), is amended by inserting the following sentence at the end of that subdivision: "Any application for initial licensure or for renewal of licensure also shall be accompanied by an affidavit affirming that the applicant maintains general liability insurance and workers' compensation insurance and specifying the amount of such insurance as well as any other information the board may require."

SECTION 2. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 62-37-108(b)(5), is amended by deleting the current language in its entirety and by substituting instead the following:

(5) Evidence of workers' compensation coverage pursuant to Title 50, Chapter 6, and evidence of general liability insurance, including the amount of such coverage, or submission to the Home Improvement Commission of a copy of the applicant's insurance policies or certificates of insurance issued by the carrier or self-insurer to the applicant indicating the date and duration of such coverage. Evidence of insurance coverage pursuant to this subdivision also shall be required to be submitted for renewal of licensure:

SECTION 3. This act shall take effect July 1, 2007, the public welfare requiring it.

**PASSED: April 30, 2007** 

RON BAMSEY, SPEAKER SENATE OF THE SENATE

IMMY NAIFEH, SPEAKER HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

APPROVED this 10th day of May 2007

PHIL BREDESEN, GOVERNOR